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FOR SALE—Two story double tenement house opposite Hotel Barton, with modern improvements, best of spring water, and in excellent repair. Good barn with three box stalls. One acre of land cutting three tons hay. Warren W. Hartwell, Barton. 50tf

12 MEN WANTED AT ONCE to learn to drive and repair automobiles in our garage, and prepare in 4 to 6 weeks to fill vacancies at \$18 to \$35 weekly. Special opportunity for limited time only. Write at once stating age. Maine Auto Company, 456 Fore St., Portland, Me. (Employment Manager.) 50-5

TO RENT

TO RENT—Two tenements, one 5 rooms, and one 7 rooms. M. H. Lewis. 50tf

TO RENT—Tenement on Highland Ave. All modern conveniences. S. D. Lester. 52tf

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms on front side of house with light and heat. Mrs. Mossman, Barton. 51tf

TO RENT—An old established meat market in the Brown block, also barn and sheds. No better location in town. F. C. Brown, Orleans. 52tf

TO RENT—Tenement, six rooms and pantry, cellar, store room, wood shed, bathroom, hot and cold water, spring water, furnace, electric lights, cook stove with house. F. W. Baldwin, Barton. 50tf

LUMBER FOR SALE—Spruce and hardwood boards planed one side. Also a quantity of joist and timber. One set traverse sleds with pole and thills. One upholstered sleigh, one work harness, one driving harness. Inquire of Herbert O. Shute near Stoddard's mill, Albany. 51-1

WANTED.

WANTED—Plain sewing and washing. Mrs. Stone, Barton. 51-2wp

WANTED—Woman for housework. Good wages. Apply to Monitor office. 51tf

WANTED—Ten teams to draw logs to Lawrence mill, Glover. R. D. Dwinell. 49tf

WANTED—A bookkeeper at Skinner, Me. Inquire of Skinner, French & Company, Skinner, Me. 52tf

WANTED—To buy empty bran, mixed feed and cottonseed sacks. Ray P. Webster. 44tf

WANTED—Poultry and fresh eggs, special price for pullets. E. S. Kelley, Orleans. 123-13 Tel. 42tf

WANTED—Woodsmen—Twelve men for woods. No drunkards wanted. Phone or write. Ritchie Bros. Lumber Company, Greensboro Bend. 51-52

WANTED—White ash logs cut in 5, 7, 10, 12, and 15 ft. lengths, 6 inches and up. Price \$18 to \$20. F. O. B. shipping point. C. H. Davis, Danville, Vt. 49-52

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—Take your stock to the yard, Dec. 30 and Jan. 13th. W. E. Hanson, Barton. 51tf

The U. V. M. Musical Club Coming to Barton.

The University of Vermont Musical clubs will leave Burlington Monday, December 30th, to give six concerts in eastern and northern parts of the state. The itinerary includes entertainments at Morrisville Monday night, St. Johnsbury Tuesday night, Barton Wednesday night, Jan. 1, Newport Thursday, Richford Friday and the wind-up engagement at St. Albans Saturday evening, the 4th of January.

The thirty men of the University, who make up the musical organization are offering many new and novel "stunts" in the concert line this year. They showed their cards at the home concert in Burlington last week to the delight of their hearers. The evening program is divided into two parts somewhat after the style of the traveling minstrel. The first part includes instrumental and glee club numbers, readings and bass and tenor duets and solos. The second part is an innovation depicting a scene in "the dorm" lived with true college life as it is and not as it is supposed to be, with many an informal hum and melody.

The glee men are featuring a "college medley" and a "rag medley" and Manager Smith gives a prominent place on the program to the brand new brass sextette. Robinson, a member of the freshmen class and leader of the instrumental department, recently wrote a popular new Vermont song in march time which the glee club uses. The management is still negotiating for dates in Vermont towns and any high school or club wishing to entertain the clubs should communicate with W. P. Smith, Burlington.

Fifty Years Ago.

Under the above head the Lyndonville Journal of last week contained the following regarding Geo. W. Quimby, after whom the local G. A. R. post was named. He was captain of the company in which many of the men served and the local post has a number of the personal effects of Captain Quimby. He was principal of the school here when he enlisted. The Journal says:

Fifty years ago Dec. 13th, at dusk, Captain George W. Quimby, of this town, captain of Co. D, 4th Vermont volunteers, as evening fell, was killed on the field of the first battle of Fredericksburg, by a rifle bullet cutting both jugular veins at the throat. When night was fully come and it was dark two of his soldiers carried his body to the banks of the Rappahannock and stood guard over it that night, intending to send it home in some way.

The next morning the tide of battle was against the union army and to prevent the body from falling into the hands of the enemy, they buried it. When the battle was over and they could do so they took the remains up and sent them to Lyndon Center where they were buried in the Dea. Thomas Quimby lot and a monument erected thereon. Last Friday evening, the 13th, the two soldiers, who both live in Lyndon today, William F. Stoddard and Luther B. Harris, with Silas Collier, who was with the company at that battle, went to the cemetery and laid evergreen wreaths at the head of the grave of their dead commander of fifty years ago.

Congregational Church Notes.

The Christmas exercises were held Tuesday evening but too late to be reported this week as this issue is printed Tuesday night.

The C. E. society have elected the following officers: president, W. H. Gilpin; vice president, Ralph King; secretary, Julia King; treasurer, Glen Lang.

Sunday morning at the Christmas services, a good sized audience listened to a splendid sermon by Rev. W. A. Warner, and beautiful music by the choir. Clarence Webster and Miss Ada Murray gave a violin duet for offertory, which was fine.

C. E. and S. S. as usual next Sunday.

Methodist Episcopal Church Notes.

Services as usual next Sunday. The pastor will preach in the morning.

Union services in this church Sunday evening. Rev. W. A. Warner will speak.

The Sunday school, Sunday, gave a vote of appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hartwell for their faithful work in the past years.

Barton Academy Notes.

The boys are working hard to complete their skating rink during vacation. Tickets can now be obtained from members of the committee.

Charles Buswell made the children of the grades happy Friday by the distribution of Christmas candy and popcorn. The teachers were recipients of various pretty gifts from their pupils.

The schools open again Monday, Jan. 6.

EVERYBODY'S DOING IT—Why waste your grain when you can get new heavy cotton bags for 20 cents at Crystal Lake Mills, Barton. 51tf

Highest market price paid for first class dairy butter. Correspondence solicited. G. M. Hassam, Ayer, Mass. 40-52p

NOTICE—Will buy, sell and repair furniture. Have some good bargains in new and secondhand household goods. Come in and see them. W. J. Berwick, Pillsbury Block, South Main street, Barton. 47tf

ADJOURNED TO JAN. 6

Most of the Important Work of the Session Yet Undone. Bills Keep Coming In. Governor Sends Message.

The legislature adjourned Friday to meet in Montpelier again January 6 for the home stretch of the 1912-13 legislative body of Vermont. Bills are still coming in and many of the most important subjects have not yet been settled.

Before adjournment for the holiday recess it was shown that 32 bills remained in the hands of the committees and final adjournment before February seems impossible. The flat rate taxation bill passed by the house is meeting opposition in the senate and is likely to be killed by that body. An elaborate fish and game law has been introduced and will take much time to dispose of besides several other important measures. The legislature has been in session 71 days at an expense to the state of about \$90,000.

Among the last things done by the legislature was to listen to a message from Governor Fletcher. The message is an important one and follows:

"I desire to call your attention to the fact that the statute creating the office of commissioner of weights and measures carries with it no fixed appropriation or limitation whatsoever as to the amount that may be expended by that department, and with no desire or intention to criticize that department, in any respect, I suggest that a specific biennial appropriation be made for the use of the department of weights and measures.

"And I further wish to call your attention to the fact that at the present time all fuel, light and supplies of every nature used at the state institutions are purchased by the heads of the various institutions or their agents.

"I am convinced that if one man could purchase all these supplies a very material saving would be made for the state, because the buying would be at wholesale rather than retail rates. This is a business method practiced with beneficial results by many large corporations.

"I therefore earnestly recommend, for your serious consideration, that the office of state purchasing agent be created. This agent should purchase all the supplies of all the state institutions, also all material for construction work. It might also be found advantageous for the purchasing agent to purchase all stationery and office supplies of the state, to enter into contracts for public printing and the purchase of supplies incident to the session of the legislature, thereby abolishing the office of state printer. If it is not deemed advisable to give the purchasing agent the duties of the commissioner of public printing, I recommend that the office of public printing be put upon a salaried instead of a per diem basis.

"By centralizing purchase of all supplies in one office, you would, I believe, not only save the state a large amount of money but you would also bring the agent's every act into the limelight of publicity and publicity is the very essence of advanced constructive legislation to the end of good government."

A committee comprising Mr. Proctor of Proctor, Mr. Watson of St. Albans and Mr. Jose of Johnson was appointed to consider the matters referred to in the Governor's message and report upon convening after the holidays.

The general committees have introduced a substitute for H139, requiring candidates for office to file by the fifth day before election with the secretary of state and county clerk a statement of all campaign expenses and receipts; an itemized sworn statement of all persons contributing to the candidate's campaign and the amount contributed; within 15 days after election, candidate shall file a similar statement of receipts and expenditures; no campaign sion shall be issued to any candidate elected who refuses to file such statements.

The joint committee on public health gave a public hearing on House bill 226, an act to provide for medical inspection in public schools. John W. Redmond of Newport, representing the Christian Scientists, with C. H. Peck of St. Johnsbury and A. W. Mattson of Bethel, appeared in opposition to the measure. Mr. Redmond's chief grievance lay in the fact that section 3 of the act as drawn contemplated the employment of assistant examiners, who "shall be graduates in medicine and licensed to practice in this state and, during the school year, they shall devote their time solely to this work," after attending annually an examiners' school or special clinic at the University of Vermont college of medicine, their salary being—perish the thought—"only \$50 per month." Mr. Redmond fairly trembled when he contemplated so cheap a person examining the eyes and ears of the children of his clients. "Medicine is a science and an art," he repeated at frequent intervals, and such cheap physicians are very likely to be incompetent. He would, however, accept the measure if amended to exempt his clients from its compulsory provisions.

The bill granting Orleans village the right to take water from Willoughby lake for village purposes has passed both the house and senate.

The House has passed the bill substituting electrocution as the death penalty for murder instead of hanging, after amending the bill so that the death house shall cost \$2,500 instead of \$5,000. After once killing the bill to pay John W. Titcomb, state fish and game commissioner, about \$2100 for clerk hire, rent, etc., which he had expended, and reconsidered its action, the House killed the bill again by a vote of 83 to 111.

Without debate the House killed the Senate bill increasing the salary of the Governor to \$4000.

Christmas Cheer for the Needy.

From 3 to 5 o'clock tomorrow, Christmas day, a committee will be at St. John Baptist's Hall for the purpose of distributing articles such as shoes, mits, caps for girls also young boys, and money if we are successful in getting any from our appeal to the generous people, who can afford to give anything, whether it be money or any useful articles that have been discarded. As stated the committee will be there from 3 until 5 o'clock, Christmas day and all needy children are welcome, but not children bent on curiosity. Regarding needy parents of poor children, who through justifiable pride do not like to appeal through the committee in person at the rectory can send a note with the children stating just what they are in most need of, and if the members of the committee do not have just what they require they will try and exchange some things they have for just what the needy person requires. If medicine, send prescription with child and it will be filled and returned. No parent need give their name. Just the note stating what they require and the boy or girl can take just what they want home. The committee intended to give a dinner for the poor children but owing to the haste that was necessary in formulating this plan, we won't have the time to give it as the committee would like. But if any people answer the appeal for articles of any kind which include clothing or eatables, these will be distributed to applicants as long as there is anything left. If unfortunately, some poor people cannot know of this attempt to try and help the poor, if there is anything left over after tomorrow afternoon it can be secured by applying to the Rectory. In conclusion the committee wishes to state that it is the little things in life that count and it doesn't matter how small a donation whether it be in money from 1 cent or up to a pair of 10 or 15 cent gloves or any article of wearing apparel that has been its best days of usefulness will be as much appreciated as a donation of money from people who can afford, no matter what amount they give.

H. J. Duffey,

Chairman of Committee.

Adelbert Leland and Mrs. Mary Freeman have been assisting in the Rollins store.

E. E. Flanders has moved his garage from the Comstock building to H. V. Drown's barn.

Miss Maud Barrett has gone to her home in Lisbon, N. H., for a few days' vacation.

Mrs. H. F. Black of Newport was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright recently.

W. M. Magoon has purchased a farm in Fulford, Que., and will spend some time there this winter.

Amory Seaver of the U. V. M. of Burlington is spending the holiday recess at his home here.

James Doubleday of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting his cousin, J. E. Chase, on the River road.

Olympic Encampment, No. 17, meets Friday night in I. O. O. F. hall.

Work in the Royal Purple.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Rowen are spending Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Forbes in Lawrence, Mass.

Ina Paige and Ethel Urie are home from their business school in Springfield, Mass., for the holiday vacation.

The Woman's Literary club will hold its annual Christmas tree with Miss Seaver, December 31st instead of January 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Reiriden and family are spending Christmas in Littleton, N. H., with Mrs. Reiriden's people.

Miss Carrie Jones and her mother have moved here from West Burke. They occupy the tenement in the Monitor building.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Robbins and children of Niagara Falls, N. Y., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Brunning this week.

Fred Percival of St. Johnsbury was in town Dec. 23, with a Kissed Kar, for which he and C. E. Silsby are agents. He said the roads were good most of the way.

H. J. Duffey,

Chairman of Committee.

Remember the entertainment by the U. V. M. musical clubs Wednesday evening, Jan. 1. This is given under the auspices of the 1910 class, B. A. The money will be added to the school piano fund.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the post-office. Please see advertised when calling for these letters. Joseph Bousquet, O. Baker, J. G. Murphy, Mrs. M. L. Pearson, Peerless Bobbin Company, Clara Toohy.

Miss S. H. Skinner of Bennington wishes in this way to thank her many friends who so kindly remembered her on her birthday. She also wishes to thank the Ladies' society of the Congregational church for the beautiful flowers sent her at that time.

The public is invited to an open meeting and box supper given by the grange in the Odd Fellows hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 2. Ladies are requested to bring boxes to be sold at a small cost. A social programme is being prepared. Every member come and bring a friend or two.

The Woman's Literary club met Wednesday evening with Miss Currier, 15 members and one visitor being present. Roll call was responded to by items of interest on commerce and labor. Paper, "Production and Sale of Lumber," Mrs. Cook. Miss Wheeler favored the club with two whistling solos.

Enough snow has fallen so that sleighs are more common than wagons and while more snow would be appreciated by the traveling public the present roads are preferable to frozen mud roads. Sunday morning was the coldest of the season, thermometers having been reported as registering 18 below.

Two hundred and seventy-eight persons guessed on the time the clock in Lang, the jeweler's window, would stop and the lucky one was Miss Blanche White of Craftsbury, who guessed the clock would stop at 9:25. It stopped at 9:24 1-2. A. M. Grant was next nearest guessing 9:23. C. E. Hamblet was chairman of the committee which examined the guesses and awarded the clock.

ALBANY

Morris Day is home from St. Johnsbury.

E. L. Annis is home from a canvassing trip.

Clyde Thompson has moved into R. R. Beede's house.

Mrs. Ira Sanders is visiting in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. A. N. Vance was a visitor in Newport Thursday.

Edith Copeland from Canada is visiting at Merton Cutler's.

Lucius and Gladys Brown were visitors in Barton Saturday.

Stephen Newton is working in Barton during the school vacation.

Lucile Anderson is home from Orleans for the Christmas recess.

Albert Campbell is home from Morrisville for two weeks' vacation.

Carroll Whitcher was in Newport the first of last week, making the trip by auto.

There will be union Christmas exercises at the M. E. church Tuesday evening.

Miss Agnes Chafey left Saturday for St. Johnsbury where she expects to spend the winter.

Effie Miles, May Miles, Bernie George, Fred Fletcher and Wayne Sanders are home from Craftsbury for the holidays.

Gladys Nichols Bodge, reader of plays and impersonator, will give the next entertainment of the lecture course Wednesday evening, Jan. 1st. Miss Bodge comes very highly recommended.

The Congregational society held their annual meeting Saturday evening and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, A. C. Cheney; vice president, C. M. Hitchcock; clerk, Mrs. C. N. Smith; treasurer, Mrs. R. M. Cowles; col., C. N. Smith; committee, C. M. Hitchcock, J. A. Brown, F. H. Pierce; trustees, C. E. Rogers, J. A. Brown, C. H. Smith; organist, Gladys Brown; assistant organist, Grace Goddard; chorister, George Parker.

SOUTH ALBANY

O. M. Rowell is much better at this writing.

Robert Anderson is at home from the U. V. M. for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Webster entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webster of Irasburg last week.

The students who have been attending school at North Craftsbury are at their homes for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Jessie Kendrick died very suddenly at her home last Wednesday evening. The funeral services were held on Saturday, conducted by her pastor, the Rev. C. E. Garvin of East Craftsbury. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones. A more extended notice will appear next week.

BROWNINGTON

Arthur Davies is visiting friends in Hanover, N. H.

Geo. Grow is spending Christmas with relatives in Canada.

Miss Lucy Woodbury is working for Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Grow.

There will be a watch party in the academy hall at the village on the night of Dec. 31 to see the old year out and the new year in. Good music will be furnished for those who wish to promenade. Everybody invited. Come and greet the new year with a smile.

BROWNINGTON CENTER

The sick ones in town are improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dewing visited at Edgar Wells' last week.

Mrs. Verna St. Peter visited at George St. Peter's over Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Porter is confined to the house with a severe cold and asthma.

John Shannon of North Hatley was a visitor at George St. Peter's last week.

Mrs. Sarah Miles has returned to her home after spending several weeks in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kettle, who have been stopping at Collins Lacourse's, are moving to Orleans.

Miss Sarah Shannon has returned to her home in North Hatley, P. Q., after spending several weeks with her cousin, Miss Georgina St. Peter.

EVANSVILLE

Elmer Hilliard is working for the Pike Mfg. Co.

Guy Hilliard was home from Barton a few days last week.

Mrs. Wm. Flanders of Boston, Mass., was here over Sunday visiting relatives.

EAST CHARLESTON

Bernie Morse is ill with bronchitis.

Albert Tongue's children have all been ill.

Dr. Cushman has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Alton Tripp, who has been quite ill, is improving.

C. E. Sherrick of Montreal is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Canning visited relatives in Derby recently.

Harold Glasston is visiting his father and grandmother at Pine Meadow, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilder of New York are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilder.

C. E. Coruth, B. G. Morse and James Hill attended the funeral of their cousin, Francis Lord, at Morgan recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Buck visited relatives in Stanstead last week. Doris McQueen returned with them for a short stay.

The topic for the C. E. prayer meeting Dec. 26 is "What the Coming of Christ Has Done and Will Do for the World." Leader, Richard Parker.

CRAFTSBURY

Emma Moodie entertained the mumps last week.

Mrs. Anna Patterson has so much improved as to be able to ride out.

Blanche Urie came from Montpelier Saturday for the Christmas vacation.

School in the Daverson district has commenced with Anna Graham as teacher.

Dora Gallagher arrived home from Burlington Saturday for the Christmas vacation.

Phineas Robbins has sold his interest in the Ephraim Robbins place to his brother Clayton.

The little daughter of Ralph Dunn, who has been ill and a great sufferer for some time, is failing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gage were called to Hardwick last Friday by the sickness of their son Harlan.

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